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## Grants and Fellowship Information



### Finding grants in general

Specific grant programs:

- **Brownfields**: existing facilities where redevelopment is complicated by real or perceived contamination.
- **Community Action for a Renewed Environment (CARE)**: provides funding to build broad-based partnerships to reduce environmental risks at the local level.
- **Environmental education**: projects to help the public make informed decisions that affect environmental quality.
- **Environmental Information Exchange Network**: provides funding to develop an Internet-based, secure network that supports the electronic collection, exchange, and integration of high-quality data.
- **Environmental Justice**: includes the EJ Community/ University Partnership Grants Program and the Environmental Justice Through Pollution Prevention Grants Program.
- **Fellowships and other student programs**: Grants, fellowships, and research associateships
- **National Clean Diesel Campaign**: building diesel engine emission reduction programs across the country to improve air quality and protect public health.
- **Pollution Prevention**: provides matching funds to state and tribal programs to support pollution prevention and to develop State-based programs.
- **State Innovation Grant Program**: provides funds and technical assistance to state environmental agencies to promote testing of innovative approaches in environmental permitting for better results and efficiency.
- **Science to Achieve Results (STAR)**: funds research grants in numerous environmental science and engineering disciplines through a competitive solicitation process and independent peer review.
- **Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)**: competitively funds environmental technology research at small businesses.
- **Water Grants**: includes the state revolving funds for drinking water and wastewater, grants for water pollution prevention and wetlands protection, and tribal grants.

### Grants under the Recovery Act of 2009

The Recovery Act includes \$7.2 billion for projects and programs administered by EPA. For information on funding opportunities and awards, visit

- [Epa.gov/recovery](http://Epa.gov/recovery)
- [Recovery.gov](http://Recovery.gov)
- [Grants.gov](http://Grants.gov)

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## **EPA Information Related to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act)**

- **Clean Water State Revolving Fund \$4B National**
  - Water Quality & Wastewater Infrastructure
- **Drinking Water State Revolving Fund \$2B National**
  - Drinking Water Infrastructure
- **Brownfields \$100M Nationally for Competitive Grants**
  - Evaluate & Clean Up former Industrial & Commercial Sites
- **Diesel Emissions Reduction \$300M Nationally – Grants & Loans**
  - Projects that Reduce Diesel Emissions
- **Leaking Underground Storage Tanks \$200M Nationally**
  - Cleanup of Petroleum Leaks from Underground Storage Tanks for which there is no identifiable responsible party
- **Superfund Hazardous Waste Cleanup \$600M Nationally**
  - Cleanup of Hazardous Waste Sites – on NPL & construction ready  
Announcements will be made soon.



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### Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Funds

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 will provide significant levels of funding for states to finance high priority infrastructure projects needed to ensure clean water and safe drinking water. The Clean Water State Revolving Fund program, in place since 1987, will receive \$4 billion. The Drinking Water State Revolving Fund program, in place since 1997, will receive \$2 billion. Together, the Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund programs have funded more than 30,000 projects totaling \$84 billion.

- [Clean Water State Revolving Fund](#)
- [Drinking Water State Revolving Fund](#)



State	Overall CWSRF Allocation	604b Water Quality Mgt Planning	State CWSRF Grant	State DWSRF grant
Alaska	\$23,691,900	\$236,900	\$23,455,000	\$19,500,000

- Although SRF assistance is typically in the form of a low interest loan, ARRA requires that **a minimum of 50% of the state grant be used to provide additional subsidization** on assistance in the form of forgiveness of loan principal, negative interest rate loans, or grants.
- 604b Water Quality Management Planning CWA 205(J) \$=1% of SRF State is to pass through 40% of its funds to local, regional or interstate comprehensive planning organizations, or if there are strong reasons for waiving this, the Governor may approve a waiver. Contact ADEC Nancy Sonafrank 451-2276





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CWSRF Coordinator

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation

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<http://www.state.ak.us/dec/water/muniloan/index.htm>



# EPA to Award Recovery Act SRF Capitalization Grants to ADEC

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## Division of Water Municipal Grants & Loans

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation

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Program Manager  
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### What's Hot



**PROPOSED: FY10 MMG**  
Governors Capital Project Funding List **NEW!**

**ADWF, ACWF-PS, & ACWF-NPS**  
Loan Questionnaires are not being accepted at this time.

### Resources



**Grants**

- › [Payment Request Form](#)
- › [Alaska Sanitation Contact List](#)

**Loans**

- › [Alaska Sanitation Contact List](#)
- › [Information on Interest Rates](#)
- › [Forms](#)

**Staff Contacts**

### Program Links



**Grants Program**

- › [Capital Project Lists](#)
- › [Grant Application](#)
- › [MMG Questionnaire \(closed\)](#)

**Loans Program**

- › [Intended Use Plans](#)
- › [LOANS: FY10 ADWF, ACWF Online Loan Questionnaires](#)



## **EPA Information Related to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act)**

### **Tribal Infrastructure**

A set-aside of 1.5 percent of the National CWSRF and DWSRF appropriations provides drinking and waste water infrastructure – EPA Interagency agreement with the Indian Health Service

- **Alaska ARRA SRF Tribal Set Asides**

- **CWSRF \$19,980,000**
- **SWSRF \$7,647,000**

- **EPA Contact Dennis Wagner 271-3651**





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### Brownfields Program Activities Under the Recovery Act

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 will provide \$100 million to the [EPA Brownfields Program](#) for clean up, revitalization, and sustainable reuse of contaminated properties. The funds will be awarded to eligible entities through job training, assessment, revolving loan fund, and cleanup grants.

**Recovery Act Funds to be Awarded Using FY 2009 Competition for Brownfields Assessment, Revolving Loan Fund, and Cleanup Grants**



### EPA Received no Applications from entities in Alaska for Assessment or Cleanup Grant Funds

**Job Training Grants: EPA Announces the Availability of an Estimated \$5 Million Under the Recovery Act** New!

## Brownfields Job Training Grants Funding Opportunity Closes April 20







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### Recovery Act Funding for the National Clean Diesel Campaign

**New!** Frequently asked questions are now available for the three competitions that are currently open. Links are listed below under each program. All questions must be submitted in writing to [cleandiesel@epa.gov](mailto:cleandiesel@epa.gov).

#### Recovery Act Clean Diesel Programs

Applications are now available to support clean diesel activities through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act). This Recovery Act funding for clean diesel activities will be offered this year in addition to EPA FY 2009 National Diesel Emissions Reduction Program appropriations. A separate competitive announcement for the FY 2009 National Diesel Emissions Reduction Program Appropriation funds will be issued later in 2009.



## OPEN SOLICITATIONS

### National Clean Diesel Funding Assistance Program-

~ \$156 million – Closes 4/28

### SmartWay Clean Diesel Finance Program-

~ \$30 million – Closes 4/28

### National Clean Diesel Emerging Technology Program

~ \$20 million – Closes 5/5

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- Also AK entitled to \$1.73 Million State Grant\* ? Amt will accept.



## EPA Information Related to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act)

# Leaking Under Ground Storage Tanks

- The ARRA includes \$200 million nationally for Leaking Underground Storage Tanks
- cooperative agreement to State address shovel-ready sites within its jurisdiction
- State of Alaska allocation \$999,000
- EPA Contact Todd Bender 206 553-0344
- ADEC Contact Bill James 465-5208



# How do I find out about EPA Grants?

- Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance
  - [www.cfda.gov](http://www.cfda.gov)  
EPA is Prefix 66.XXX (last 3 digits id grant program)  
(online down for revamp until end of April 2009)
- [www.Grants.gov](http://www.Grants.gov)
- [www.epa.gov/epahome/grants.htm](http://www.epa.gov/epahome/grants.htm)
- [www.epa.gov/R10earth/](http://www.epa.gov/R10earth/)



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Grants.gov does not provide personal financial assistance. To learn where you may find personal help, check [Government Benefits](#), [Student Loans](#) and [Small Business Start-up Loans](#).

### What's New This Week at Grants.gov

#### New Opportunities This Week

April 15, 2009: Grants.gov Stakeholder Webcast

Recovery Act Opportunities on Grants.gov

Notices and System Information  
(Login Issues, Error Messages, Adobe Reader)

Guidelines to Combat Grant Fraud

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## Funding Op Number: EPA-ARRA-\*



The image is a screenshot of the Grants.gov website's search page. At the top, the Grants.gov logo is on the left, and 'Contact Us Site Map' is on the right. A breadcrumb trail reads 'Home > Find Grant Opportunities > Search Grant Opportunities'. The main heading is 'Search Grant Opportunities'. Below this are three buttons: 'Basic Search' (highlighted), 'Browse by Category', and 'Browse by Agency'. A text block explains that a basic search requires a 'Keyword Opportunity Number' or a 'Search by CFDA Number'. It also provides links for 'Search Tips' and a 'Help' link. There are three search input fields: 'Keyword Search:', 'Search by Funding Opportunity Number:' (containing 'EPA-ARRA\*'), and 'Search by CFDA Number:'. At the bottom are 'Search' and 'Clear Form' buttons. A left sidebar contains navigation links for applicants, grantors, and general information.

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To perform a **basic search** for a grant, complete the "Keyword Opportunity Number"; **OR** the "Search by CFDA Number" field; below.

Access [Search Tips](#) for helpful search strategies, or click the [Help](#) get help with this screen.

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<u>Close Date</u>	<u>Opportunity Title</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<b>Funding Number</b>
04/20/2009	<a href="#">American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Brownfields Job Training Grants</a>	Environmental Protection Agency	EPA-ARRA--OSWER-OBLR-JT
04/28/2009	<a href="#">American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Funding for SmartWay Clean Diesel Finance Program</a>	Environmental Protection Agency	EPA-ARRA-OAR-OTAQ-09-04
04/28/2009	<a href="#">American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Funding for National Clean Diesel Funding Assistance Program</a>	Environmental Protection Agency	EPA-ARRA-OAR-OTAQ-09-06
05/05/2009	<a href="#">American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Funding for Clean Diesel Emerging Technologies Program</a>	Environmental Protection Agency	EPA-ARRA-OAR-OTAQ-09-05

# Grants.gov Advanced Search

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**\*Required** Search In:

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☐ Archived Opportunities

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Dates to Search:

All Days	▲
Last 3 Days	☰
One Week	
Two Weeks	
Three Weeks	▼

Search by CFDA Number:

EPA CFDA's all start with 66.

Search by Funding Activity Category:

All Categories of Funding Activity	▲
Recovery Act	☰
Agriculture	
Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)	
Business and Commerce	▼

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All Funding Instrument Types	▲
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Cooperative Agreement	
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## Applicant Resources

### [Environmental Protection Agency](#)

The mission of the Environmental Protection Agency is to protect human health and the environment. Since 1970, EPA has been working for a cleaner, healthier environment for the American people.

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  - [Suspension and Debarment Program](#)
  - [Find the Grant Regional Office Near You](#)
  - [EPA's Plan for Grants Management](#)

# What about applying for a grant & managing it if I get one?

## [Region 10 Grants Administration Site](#)

Your complete source for information on:

- How to apply
- Managing your grant
- Closing out your grant

Includes links to:

- All required forms (and helpful guidance on filling them out)
- Other on-line sources of information



# Thanks

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